## Executive Aroclamation State of South Dakota Office Of The Governor

WHEREAS, Robert C. Gabrielson has spent his entire adult life in service to his country and his fellow man; and,

WHEREAS, Bob served as an aviation radioman in the United States Navy during World War II, served as Commander of the South Dakota Department of the American Legion from 1971-1972, and is a former member of the American Legion's National Aerospace Committee; and,

WHEREAS, Bob Gabrielson is known in the halls of the state capitol as the American Legion's Legislative Representative and a moving force behind the Legion's South Dakota Boys State Corporation; and,

WHEREAS, Bob Gabrielson was elected to the post of American Legion National Vice Commander at the 64th Annual National Convention at Chicago in August, 1982; and,

WHEREAS, In addition to Bob's many activities with the American Legion, he also serves on the Board of Directors of Holy Infant Hospital in Hoven, and is a member of the Eiks, the VFW and the Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association; and,

WHEREAS, The South Dakota Department of the American Legion is hosting a testimonial dinner in honor of National Vice Commander Robert C. Gabrielson in Pierre on Saturday, February 5, 1983:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, WILLIAM J. JANKLOW, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim February 5, 1983, as

ROBERT C. GABRIELSON DAY

in South Dakota, and I join the American Legion, Bob's many friends and relatives, and the people of South Dakota in thanking him for his tireless efforts on behalf of others.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Thirtieth Day of December, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Eighty-Two

JANKLOW, GOVERNOR WILLIAM J.

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